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1. Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (Part 2);
2. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (signed);
3. Check No. 2031 in the amount of \$982.00, for the required fees (including recordation);
4. Assignment (copy);
5. Recordation Coversheet (2 pages); and
6. Return receipt postcard.

The above-referenced Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated 1/11/2002, has a shortened statutory period set to expire 3/11/2002. No extension of time is required.

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$72.
 ■ \$72 for 4 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 942.**

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